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PI2025 #0204 – Citizens Would Stop Them

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Thursday,

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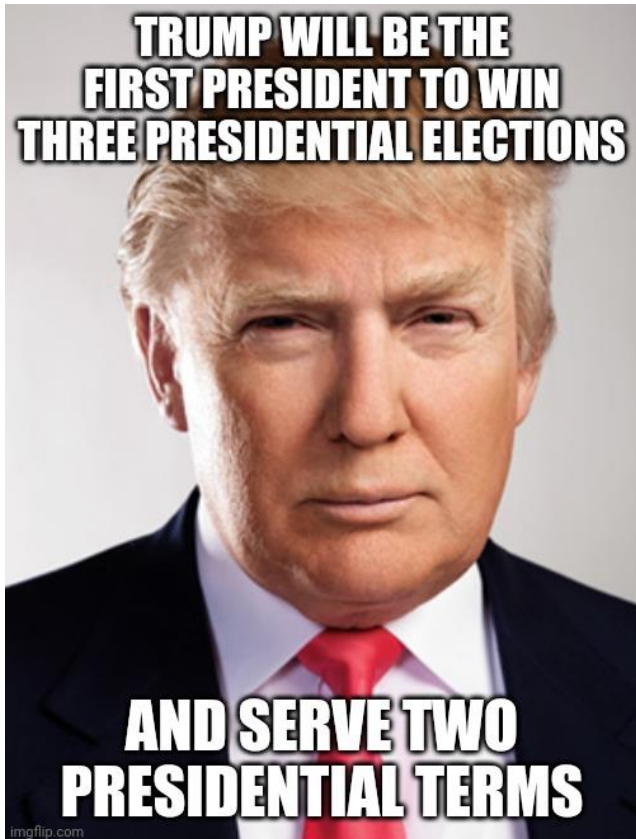
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It Wouldn't Be An Exaggeration To Say "Our, the American People's" media reports on a near fixation with President Donald J. Trump getting a third term as our federal government chief executive. Even though Constitutional purists will argue President Donald J. would not be eligible to serve more than two terms. Even in light of moves afoot to impeach President Donald J. who's a month in office.

"The social organs are constituted so as to enable them to develop harmoniously in the grand air of liberty. Away, then, with quacks and organizers! Away with their rings, and their chains, and their hooks, and their pincers!"

~ *Frederic Bastiat*



“We, the American People” arguing against President Donald J. Trump – virtually, anyone – from being elected to any legislative office for any amount of time, tacitly denounce our capacity as a sovereign citizenry. We have power to elect anyone we wish, regardless Constitutional provision, or contrary election system rules. No one, no rule, can stop America’s voters from exercising their choice.

"There are people who think that plunder loses all its immorality as soon as it becomes legal. Personally, I cannot imagine a more alarming situation."

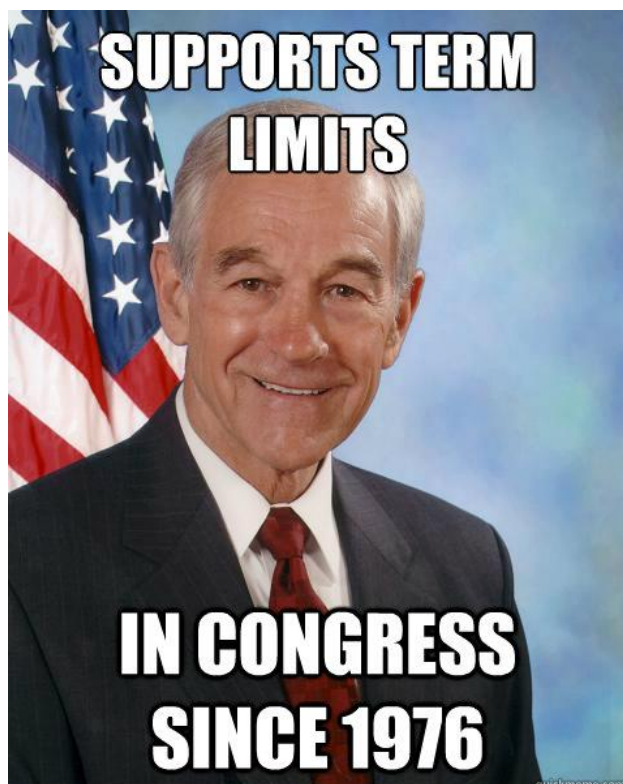
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It Is Not A Matter Of “Us, the American People” being anarchists, of sorts, to override a Constitutional restriction on presidential terms. It is a matter of us, as a sovereign, self-governing citizenry reserving and upholding principles of choice (Liberty). Our option to elect representatives of our choice goes to seating representatives we find best suited to carry out affairs in our better interest. Our better interest.

"Everyone wants to live at the expense of the State. They forget that the State lives at the expense of everyone."

~ **Frederic Bastiat**



We, Were We To Exercise Our Option to write in Donald J. Trump or, say, Barack Obama, for more than two presidential terms, not a legislature, not a court could deny either our duly elected franchise. There would be blood-curdling screams of protest, and, to be sure, litigation breaking all records to deny an electorate its sovereign authority. Liberty-minded citizens would stop them in their tracks.

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People Intending To Live In Liberty do not allow legislators - or other public officials within These United States of America, to define or limit their 10th Amendment powers beyond specific

Constitutional constraint. They exercise their citizen sovereignty to protect their life, liberty, and pursuit of happiness - by forceful means if necessary.

"And now that the legislators and do gooders have futilely inflicted so many systems upon society, may they finally end where they should have begun: May they reject all systems. And try liberty."

~ *Frederic Bastiat*

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PI2025 #0203 – Called For Undoing Government

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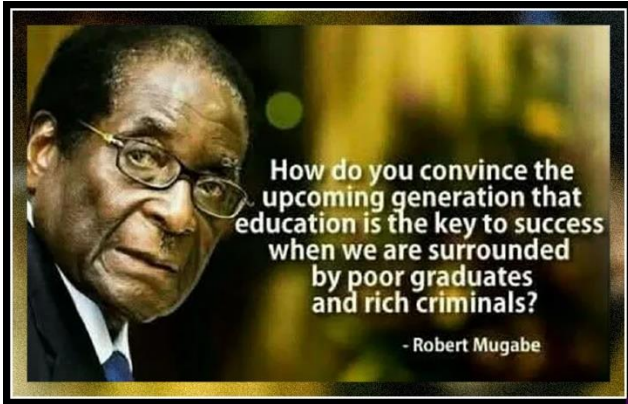
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"It is impossible to introduce into society a greater change and a greater evil than this: the conversion of the law into an instrument of plunder."

~ *Frederic Bastiat*

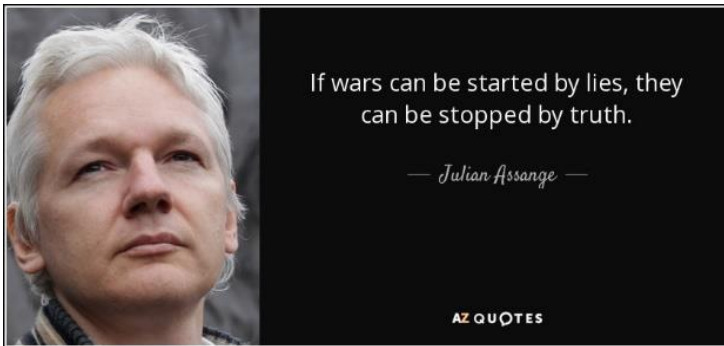




There's An Article Pushing 900 words on "Our, the American People's" media expressing some disconcerting concern over who will stop President Donald J. Trump and Department Of Government Efficiency (DOGE) top dog, Elon Musk, from dismantling America's government. Federal government. No matter one's political inclinations, neither Donald J. nor Elon have called for undoing government.

"The worst thing that can happen to a good cause is not to be skillfully attacked, but to be ineptly defended."

~ **Frederic Bastiat**





It Is An Odds On Slim Chance, if any, despite how “We, the American People” might choose to dichotomize and scrutinize Trump/Musk DOGE initiative, doing away with government has not been their stated aim. Trump/Musk DOGE operation, thus far, has been to uncover fraud, waste, and abuse, along with ridding government of projects/programs they deem unnecessary for efficient government.

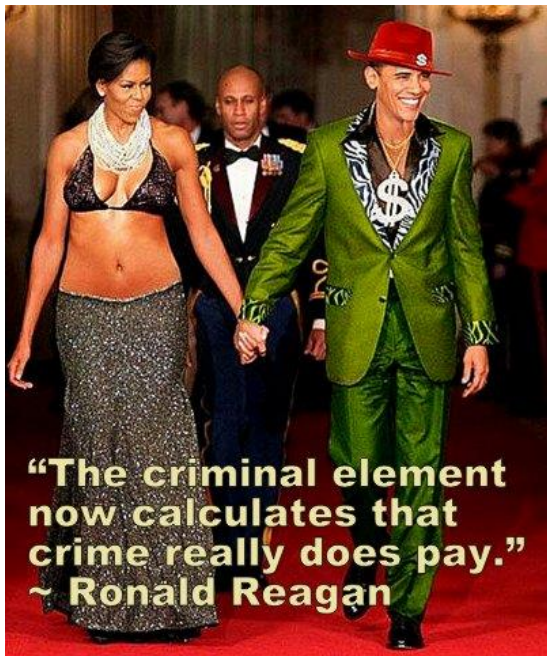
"Sometimes the law defends plunder and participates in it. Thus the beneficiaries are spared the shame and danger that their acts would otherwise involve..."

~ *Frederic Bastiat*



I just want to be as happy as the residents of Martha's Vineyard are when they're kicking immigrants off their island





It Would Be Smart for “Us, the American People” to recognize - and burn in our fertile minds, a fundamental reality. Government operates by lawful force. Lawful force is applied through selective, arbitrary, and discriminatory legislation, taxation, and regulation (SADLT&R). As important, SADLT&R is formulated by legislators’ personal attitudes, values, and beliefs (PAVB). By prejudice.

"But how is this legal plunder to be identified? Quite simply. See if the law takes from some persons what belongs to them and gives it to the other persons to whom it doesn't belong. See if the law benefits one citizen at the expense of another by doing what the citizen himself cannot do without committing a crime. Then abolish that law without delay ... No legal plunder; this is the principle of justice, peace, order, stability, harmony and logic."

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**Share if you think Elmo
would make a better**



**Senator than
Chuck Schumer**

**Net worth before running
for president:**

 **\$4.5 Billion**  **\$3 Million**  **\$480,000**

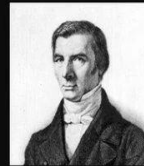
After:
 **\$3 Billion** **\$40 Million** **\$100 Million**

**But Trump is the guy trying
to steal your money?**

**Musk uncovered 12 million people older
than 112 still collecting benefits 🤔🤔**

**NEXT QUESTION: ARE THEY STILL
VOTING DEMOCRAT?**

Frederic Bastiat



The real cost of the State is the prosperity we do not see, the jobs that don't exist, the technologies to which we do not have access, the businesses that do not come into existence, and the bright future that is stolen from us. The State has looted us just as surely as a robber who enters our home at night and steals all that we love.

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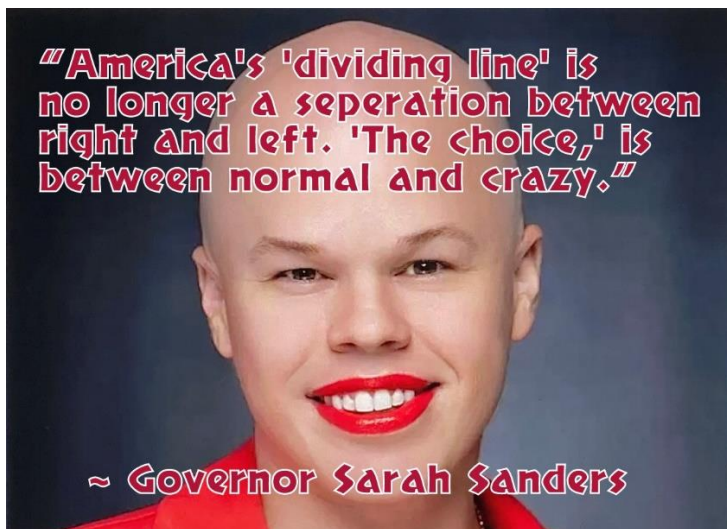
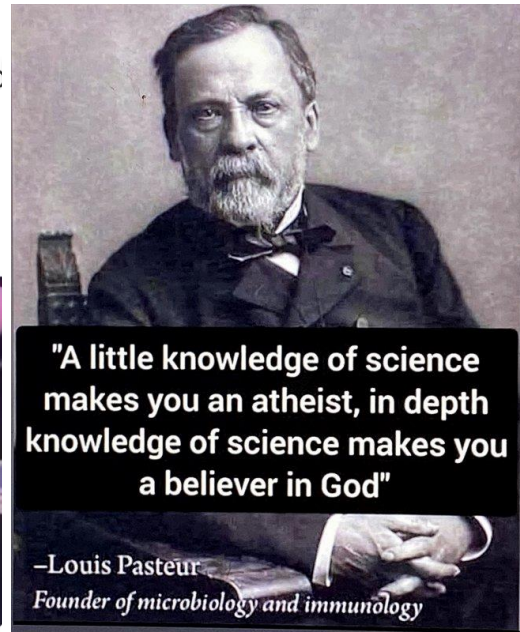
One Area Trump/Musk DOGE thrust has penetrated rather heavily is federal government Education Department. 'Education' has a singular purpose – to control behavior. Government works to control behavior to satisfy government PAVB ideology, not so much to produce superior skills to compete in and benefit society objectively. Programs/projects unduly costly, ideologically-focused are not needed.

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A Chinese national, who was organizing pro-Hamas rallies at UCLA, has been arrested and had her visa revoked.

She is being sent back to China!



People Inspired To Live In Liberty do not allow legislators – or other public officials within These United States of America, to overrule Commonwealth/State (10th Amendment) Sovereignty as determined and defined by citizens of those respective Commonwealths and States. They uphold limited government without equivocation.

"By virtue of exchange, one man's prosperity is beneficial to all others."

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PI2025 #0202 – Who Pay Government Bills

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"[I]n America it is the so-called capitalist who is to blame for the fulfillment of Marx's prophecies. Beguiled by the state's siren song of special privilege, the capitalists have abandoned capitalism."

Frank Chodorov

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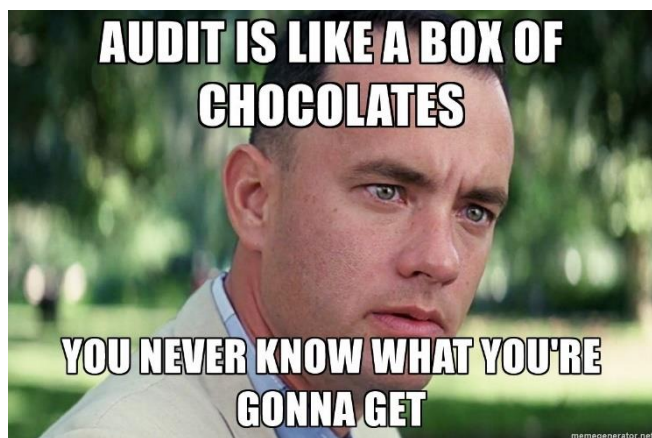
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"Private capitalism makes a steam engine; State capitalism makes pyramids."

~ *Frank Chodorov*



President Donald J. Trump's Department Of Government Efficiency (DOGE) has discovered some \$4.7T in disbursements with no record of where those payments went. According to media reports. "We, the American People" are held in account to show evidence of our figures reported on our IRS returns. How we who pay government bills are accountable, while government is not, is remarkable.

"Laws to suppress tend to strengthen what they would prohibit."

~ **Frank Herbert**



"I see you've considerable audit experience in global financial markets."



\$4.7T Is Not Petty Cash or chump change. \$4,7T of taxpayer money is serious business. It would be more than justifiable for "Us, the American People" to require Treasury Department managers responsible for unaccounted \$4.7T tender their resignations, and DOGE put in place disbursement controls to trace all future payments without exception. America's federal budget is some \$6.2T.

"Beyond a critical point within a finite space, freedom diminishes as numbers increase...the human question is not how many can possibly survive within the system, but what kind of existence is possible for those who do survive."

~ **Frank Herbert**



**I'm a politician
making millions by
insider trading**



**I didn't see
anything.**



**I'm just a
waiter trying
to pay my bills**

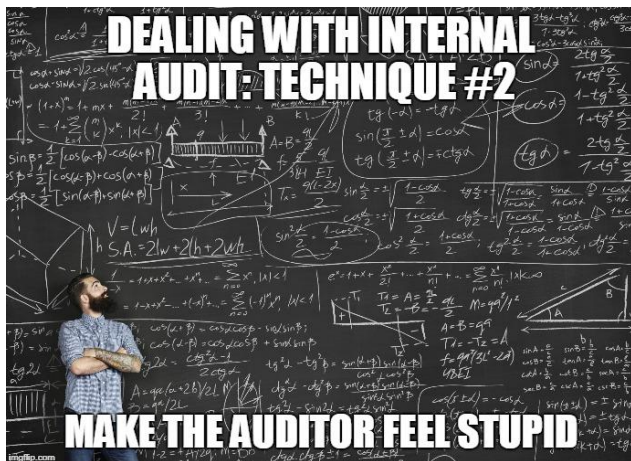


**You're going
to be audited.**

"Our, the American People's" pending Corporate Transparency ACT (CTA), if enacted, will, in its present version, require us Americans, who have businesses where we are paid for services, to act as adjutant government agents to prevent fraudulent financial transactions. We are also required to submit 1099 forms for all repairs above an aggregate amount. Receipts will not do. Fines for non-compliance.

"Increasing the power of the state in response to the Soviet menace would not defeat socialism in Russia but bring it to the United States."

~ **Frank Chodorov**



Ordinary Americans Are Held To strict(CTA/1099 accounting standards by government regulators when dealing with transactions in amounts as low as several hundred dollars. America's Treasury

Department, reportedly, can not account for transactions in trillions. We, as a sovereign citizenry, were we angry enough about it, could close Treasury Offices, transfer duties to Congressional Budget Office.

"The convoluted wording of legalisms grew up around the necessity to hide from ourselves the violence we intend toward each other. Between depriving a man of one hour from his life and depriving him of his life there exists only a difference of degree. You have done violence to him, consumed his energy."

~ *Frank Herbert*



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PI2025 #0201 – Fire Whoever They Wish

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You've got to rattle your cage door. You've got to let them know that you're in there, and that you want out. Make noise. Cause trouble."

~ *Florynce Kennedy*

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"It is easy to make light of insistence on scrupulous regard for the safeguards of civil liberties when invoked on behalf of the unworthy. History bears testimony that by such disregard are the rights of liberty extinguished, heedlessly at first, then stealthily, and brazenly in the end."

~ *Felix Frankfurter*

COMMANDER: "FIRE AT WILL!"

Everyone but Will:



"Our, the American People's" President Donald J. Trump has ruffled so many feathers with federal employee firings, there may be precious few feathered birds remaining. Hardly surprising, fired employees and their advocates are taking President Donald J. to court for behaving illegally in firing people who are employed in federal agencies reporting to America's chief Executive. Rocking boat.

"Liberty cannot be caged into a charter or handed on ready-made to the next generation. Each generation must recreate liberty for its own times. Whether or not we establish freedom rests with ourselves."

~ ***Florence Allen***



Former President Joe Biden, once upon a time, fired federal employees who, then, filed against President Joe, only to lose their case. Presiding judge noted America's Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) has held presidents can fire whoever they wish, absent contrary employment agreement. Not much different than so-called 'at will' employment in commonwealths and states.

"Freedom is like taking a bath -- you have to keep doing it every day!"
~ *Florynce Kennedy*



"We, the American People" who are employers would be nuts to hire people who must be perpetually employed and paid, regardless SCOTUS rule. There's never a time when business can assure enough business to keep people working and paid indefinitely. All business is subject to consumer pleasure. Slight difference between public and private employers; public employers can hike taxes to pay costs.

"Governments have ever been known to hold a high hand over the education of the people. They know, better than anyone else, that their power is based almost entirely on the school. Hence, they monopolize it more and more."

~ *Francisco Ferrer*



Hard To Say How President Donald J. Trump's house-cleaning firings might end up once cases run appellate court system gambit. Practical reality for "Us, the American People," no matter our political persuasion on worker protection, is job security is not achievable just because someone, say, a judge might rule an employee can't be fired. No judge can generate income to pay workers by judicial edict.

"Perhaps the removal of trade restrictions throughout the world would do more for the cause of universal peace than can any political union of peoples separated by trade barriers."

~ *Frank Chodorov*

Factories to female workers when WW2 ended:



People Determined To Live In Liberty do not allow legislators - or other public officials within These United States of America, to cause any citizen to be drawn into an obligation to assume responsibility for public debt for reasons other than to defend These United States. They uphold self-government and their option to protect their property and financial security as they see fit.

"Freedom is essentially a condition of inequality, not equality. "

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